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For: Method For Creating Waveguides in Multilayer
Ceramic Structures and a Waveguide

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to examination of the above-identified application please amend the
application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, before line 1, the paragraph beginning "The invention relates to a method",
insert the following heading:

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--FIELD OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 1, before line 19, the paragraph beginning "Different conductor structures", insert the following heading:

92 --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--

Page 3, before line 13, the paragraph beginning "The objective of the invention", insert the following heading:

93 --SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--

Page 3, delete lines 34 and 35 (last two lines on page).

Page 4, before line 18, the paragraph beginning "In the following,", insert the following paragraph and heading:

94 -- Other objects and features of the present invention will become apparent from the following detailed description considered in conjunction with the accompanying drawings. It is to be understood, however, that the drawings are intended solely for purposes of illustration and not as a definition of the limits of the invention, for which reference should be made to the appended claims.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--

Page 5, before line 15, the paragraph beginning "Figure 1 was presented", insert the following heading:

95 --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PRESENTLY PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS--